

**EXHIBIT “A”**

# U.S. DISTRICT COURT - JUDICIAL CASELOAD PROFILE

				12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30							
CALIFORNIA CENTRAL				2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	Numerical Standing	
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*			12,909	14,630	16,938	14,720	15,440	15,342	U.S.	Circuit
	Terminations			13,680	16,173	15,269	15,800	16,936	16,906		
	Pending			12,401	13,180	14,720	13,129	14,525	16,142		
	% Change in Total Filings	Over Last Year		-11.8						83	13
		Over Earlier Years			-23.8	-12.3	-16.4	-15.9	81	13	
Number of Judgeships				28	28	28	28	27	27		
Vacant Judgeship Months**				53.9	24.8	2.3	23.6	63.9	57.3		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	461	523	605	526	572	568	36	7	
		Civil	397	450	515	451	490	521	18	4	
		Criminal Felony	36	45	60	49	58	47	84	14	
		Supervised Release Hearings**	28	28	30	26	24	-	30	11	
	Pending Cases			443	471	526	469	538	598	26	7
	Weighted Filings**			518	565	651	590	584	557	24	6
	Terminations			489	578	545	564	627	626	32	7
	Trials Completed			12	13	12	14	12	14	79	11
MEDIAN TIMES (months)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	12.4	10.3	8.2	9.4	8.6	9.1	82	14	
		Civil**	7.2	7.4	7.3	7.5	7.9	7.1	10	2	
	From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)			21.3	20.5	17.8	21.2	20.0	21.0	29	4
OTHER	Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old**	Number	1,240	809	624	609	650	541			
		Percentage	11.6	7.2	5.0	5.4	5.2	3.8	79	14	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed Per Case			1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	64.08	47.33	49.01	49.49	54.63	61.75			
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	55.7	48.3	49.4	51.6	55.5	58.8			

2006 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	11104	994	211	2833	274	58	754	1330	497	1425	1188	80	1460
Criminal*	999	3	151	234	88	228	54	46	43	43	25	35	49

\* Filings in the "Overall Caseload Statistics" section include criminal transfers, while filings "By Nature of Offense" do not.

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				12-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30							
CALIFORNIA NORTHERN				2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	Numerical Standing	
OVERALL CASELOAD STATISTICS	Filings*			8,683	6,362	6,727	6,919	7,887	6,841	U.S.	Circuit
	Terminations			6,983	6,966	6,471	7,094	6,675	6,069		
	Pending			8,157	6,557	7,267	7,567	7,958	6,928		
	% Change in Total Filings	Over Last Year		36.5						4	1
		Over Earlier Years			29.1	25.5	10.1	26.9	10	2	
Number of Judgeships				14	14	14	14	14	14		
Vacant Judgeship Months**				.0	.0	.0	3.1	12.0	3.0		
ACTIONS PER JUDGESHIP	FILINGS	Total	620	455	480	494	563	489	11	3	
		Civil	558	390	413	424	510	439	6	2	
		Criminal Felony	37	39	44	47	42	50	82	12	
		Supervised Release Hearings**	25	26	23	23	11	-	36	12	
	Pending Cases			583	468	519	541	568	495	12	2
	Weighted Filings**			621	543	581	631	598	610	5	2
	Terminations			499	498	462	507	477	434	28	5
	Trials Completed			8	10	10	11	11	11	91	14
	MEDIAN TIMES (months)	From Filing to Disposition	Criminal Felony	11.2	12.6	11.1	11.7	11.8	10.1	75	11
Civil**			7.4	9.8	8.2	10.6	9.5	9.1	11	3	
From Filing to Trial** (Civil Only)			25.0	28.0	22.5	30.3	23.5	22.7	41	5	
OTHER	Civil Cases Over 3 Years Old**	Number	528	530	430	377	475	335			
		Percentage	7.3	9.5	6.9	5.7	6.7	5.6	60	7	
	Average Number of Felony Defendants Filed Per Case			1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.5		
	Jurors	Avg. Present for Jury Selection	59.09	55.21	61.19	65.00	66.42	60.46			
		Percent Not Selected or Challenged	43.2	31.0	48.9	40.9	47.2	42.2			

2006 CIVIL AND CRIMINAL FELONY FILINGS BY NATURE OF SUIT AND OFFENSE													
Type of	TOTAL	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Civil	7812	128	2118	1540	105	23	487	577	481	464	745	105	1039
Criminal*	507	16	58	134	70	89	18	28	8	9	15	27	35

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